

Dear FCC,

Competition is what makes our country strong. Other nations are jumping ahead of the US in bandwidth speeds, because the local Bell companies have so much power. The more control they have, the higher the prices will be and the lower the bandwidth we will have to our homes and our businesses.

Greater bandwidth and lower prices raises all boats -- increases revenues and profits for many industries (even the local Bell companies, indirectly). SO, you have a choice, benefit one group of companies, or benefit all and the public you serve.

--Darin O.